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**AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Responsive to the Final Rejection of 10/06/2004, please amend Claim 1 as shown on the Claim Amendment.

**REMARKS**

Applicant has amended Claim 1 to remove the redundancy therein. It is believed that this amendment places the application in better condition for appeal. Entry of the amendment is therefore respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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